

YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Supplemental Rules

3rd and 4th Grade Boys & Girls

- 1. All participants must be properly registered through the City of Renton Recreation Division. Team rosters limited to no more than 10 players.
- 2. Every player must play a minimum of 20 minutes of each game.
- 3. If a team has less than 10 players at the game the following rule will apply.

Maximum Playing Time: 8 or 9 players 25 minutes

7 players 30 minutes 6 players 35 minutes

4. Game Score:

3rd Grade Boys and 3rd/4th Grade Girls - no score will be kept

4th Grade Boys- "modified scoring", game score cleared to zero at end of each quarter.

- 5. Games will consist of four 10 minute running clock quarters with a 5 minute halftime (if time permits).
- 6. Substitutions will only be allowed at the beginning of each quarter and the 5 minute mark of each quarter.
- 7. Man-to-man defense only. Defender must be within 5 feet of player. No full court press, zone defense or double teams. **3**rd **Grade Boys and 3**rd/**4**th **Grade Girls** Players will be issued colored wristbands.
 - * Wristbands: Break away to the basket: Any player may stop the offensive player who has a driven the basket. Once the offensive player has been stopped, the defender must return to guard their own player.
- 8. Jump Ball: Start game with a jump ball. Jump balls will be awarded to the offense for remainder of game.
- 9. A steal may not be attempted when the player has the ball in a held position. (No reaching in)
- 10. Player fouls will be tracked to ensure the safety of the game. Players can foul out.
- 11. Free throws:

3rd Grade Boys and 3rd/4th Grade Girls— no free throws. The ball will be taken out of bounds closest to the spot of the foul.

4th Grade Boys– Free throws will be taken on shooting fouls or the once a teams reaches the bonus. (7th team foul per half). Free throw line will be approximately 12 feet.

- 12. Any player receiving two technical fouls in one game will be removed from the game and suspended from playing in the following game.
- 13. Any coach receiving two technical fouls during the season will be dismissed from coaching. Bench technical fouls on parents and players will be assessed to the coach.
- 14. Coaches and players are prohibited from communicating (verbally or non-verbally) in reference to the "officials judgment" i.e. calls or non-calls. Coaches and players may ask for a rule clarification from an official only during pre-game and halftime. Infractions of this rule will result in a technical foul and possible suspension or expulsion determined by the Recreation Staff.
- 15. All technical fouls will result in an automatic two points and possession of the ball.
- 16. No league standings kept, "all the teams are winners."
- 17. 5 seconds in the key.
- 18. Ball Size: Junior Size Ball
- 19. Rim Height: 9 Feet

Have Fun!

